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For (Title):

INK-JET RECORDING DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SUBSTRATE

WITH FUNCTIONAL MATERIAL

By (Inventors):

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16, 2001 in Japan is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).

A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application(s) is filed herewith.

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